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NICE TO KNOW

Thanks to those who played a part in Mishicot events

Dear Editor:

Now that the Christmas season is over, I'd like to thank the many people who made the third annual Christmas at the Museum, as well as the Norman Rockwell Holiday weekend, a big success in our village of Mishicot.

More than 700 attended Christmas at the Museum, which featured a 13-foot tree donated by John Shimon. The tree was decorated with antique lights and ornaments from the George Schmidt collection.

Entertainment was provided by 13 community choirs, instrumental groups and individuals. Thanks also go to Friends of the Museum, whose members decorated the tree and provided cookies and hot cider during all the times the museum was open.

Music by the following groups and individuals contributed greatly to the experience: the adult choirs of Holy Cross and St. Peter churches, Holy Cross Children's Choir, the Czech Singers, John Schanilec, Sara and Kimberly Voelker, Robin and Rick Powell, Andrea and Christine Lohr, Claire Krieger, Jean Hopka and Marie Steeber and the Holy Name men's choir from Tisch Mills.

Activities included horse and wagon rides around the village, holiday lights, and a portrayal of Norman Rockwell and his wife, Molly, by Tony Berken and his wife, Bonnie, at the Norman Rockwell Center at the Old School.

Finally, a thank you goes to the promotion committee of the Mishicot Main Street Program, to Mary and Craig Berken, to the volunteers at The Old School and to the businesses and residents for keeping their Christmas decorations up until after Jan. 7.

Christmas at the Museum was one more village event in which everyone worked together to continue the tradition of making Mishicot a great place to be. Thank you.

Jim Sustman

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